OFF CALL ON THE UNITED S



N THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

§

§

§

§

§

§ §

§ §

Application No.:

09/841,492

Filing Date:

April 24, 2001

Inventors:

Karanikas et al.

Title:

IN SITU THERMAL

PROCESSING OF A

HYDROCARBON

CONTAINING FORMATION

WITH CARBON DIOXIDE

SEQUESTRATION

Examiner:

J. J. Kreck

Group/Art Unit:

3673

Atty. Dkt. No.:

5659-08000/EBM

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

DATE OF DEPOSIT:

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail on the date indicated above and is addressed to:

> Commissioner for P Washington, DC

A Library To

AMENDMENT; RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED SEPTEMBER 24, 2002

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Amendment

RECEIVED

JAN 0 3 2003

GROUP 3600

Please amend the above-captioned application as follows:

In the Specification:

Sir:

Listed below is a clean copy of amended paragraphs of the Specification. A marked-up copy indicating the amended paragraphs of the Specification is provided in an accompanying document.

On page 38, please delete the paragraph beginning on line 14, and substitute therefor: